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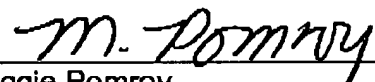
In re Application: Shunsuke KOBAYASHI et al. ] GRP ART UNIT: 1772  
Serial No: 10/823,105 ] Ex.: Hon, Sow Fun  
Filed: April 13, 2004 ]  
For: LIQUID CRYSTAL SOLUBLE PARTICLE, METHOD FOR  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DEVICE  
ELEMENT

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
The Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the office action dated March 8, 2006, setting a 3-month shortened statutory period for a reply ending on June 8, 2006, the applicants submits the following responsive amendment in the above-identified application. This amendment is considered to place the application in better condition for allowance.

Also enclosed is the Request for Three-Month Extension of Time, thereby extending the end date of the current term to September 8, 2006, accompanied by the authorization to charge the fee of \$1,020.00 to Deposit Account No. 12-0400. No other

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fee is believed to be required, but, if this is not the case, please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-0400.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.